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In re Patent Application of:

Prasad Mantri

Group Art Unit: 2138

Application No.: 10/679,266

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For: TESTING CMOS CAM WITH

REDUNDANCY (AS AMENDED)

COMMENTS ON EXAMINER'S STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant agree in part with the Examiner's statement of reasons for allowance in that the prior art of record fails to disclose, teach or suggest the claimed invention. However, Applicant note that the Examiner's statement fails to address all limitations of all of the allowed claims. For example, certain claim limitations were not discussed in the Examiner's Reasons for Allowance, including those in the dependent claims, each of which defines a unique combination of features not shown or suggested by the prior art, providing additional reasons for allowance of each claim.

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Furthermore, Applicant respectfully submit that the scope of the claimed invention should not be limited by the Examiner's statement, but rather the scope of the claimed invention should be based on the actual language of the allowed claims.

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Respectfully submitted,

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FEE CALCULATION								
1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES								
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Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80		
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300		
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0		
2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES Small Entity								
Fee (\$) Fee (\$)								
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)							50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)							200	100
Multiple dependent claims							360	180
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